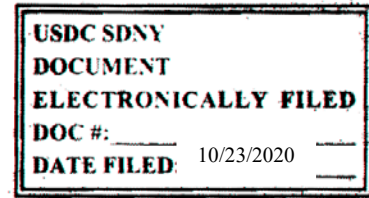


**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**



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SHIQIANG GAO, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

18-CV-6439 (ALC)(SN)

-against-

ORDER

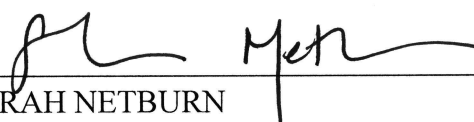
UMI SUSHI, INC., et al.,

Defendants.
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SARAH NETBURN, United States Magistrate Judge:

In light of the parties' Joint Status Report filed on October 20, 2020, the parties are directed to contact Courtroom Deputy Rachel Slusher by email at Rachel_Slusher@nysd.uscourts.gov to schedule a settlement conference, if they believe it would be productive. Considering the Court's busy calendar, settlement conferences must generally be scheduled at least six to eight weeks in advance. The Court will likely be unable to accommodate last-minute requests for settlement conferences, and the parties should not anticipate that litigation deadlines will be adjourned in response to late requests for settlement conferences.

SO ORDERED.



SARAH NETBURN
United States Magistrate Judge

DATED: October 23, 2020
 New York, New York